SHRIMATI PREMA CARIAPPA (Karnataka): Sir, I also associate myself with what the hon. Member has mentioned.

THE DELEGATED LEGISLATION PROVISIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2003

THE MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): Sir, I beg to move for leave to withdraw the Delegated Legislation Provisions (Amendment) Bill, 2003.

Sir, the House is aware that the Committee on Subordinate Legislation had recommended certain standard-laying formula in the Acts. And this standard has to be followed by laying the rules. Two exercises were held, one in 1983 wherein 50 Acts were identified and the other in 1986 where 90 Acts were identified. This Bill, which was introduced on 22nd December, 2003 also provided likewise, and included 24 Acts. After 2003, another 27 Acts have been identified which need to be incorporated in this Bill. Hence, the necessity to withdraw this Bill.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ: Sir, I withdraw the Bill.

THE DELEGATED LEGISLATION PROVISIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2004

THE MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): Sir, I move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend certain Acts to implement the recommendations of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation regarding publication and laying of rules and other delegated legislation.

The question was put and the motion was adopted

SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ: Sir, I introduce the Bill.

SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS FOR GRANTS (RAILWAYS) 2004-05

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU): Sir, I lay on the Table a Statement (in English and Hindi) showing the Supplementary Demands for Grants (Railways), for the year 2004-05.